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Subject: WINGS appointments

Sue,

For the WINGS bill, here's a list of entities that should be represented on the WINGS committee. Denise and I were able to meld our lists and agree on this.

1. District judge
2. District court rep
3. District court rep
4. APS rep
5. Senior advocacy rep
6. Professional guardianship business
7. Unpaid guardian
8. Professional conservator service
9. Volunteer conservator
10. State Bar rep (we agree)
11. Volunteer guardianship council rep
12. Rep from a designated protection and advocacy system for people with disabilities
13. Representative of a DD advocacy group
14. Representative from the healthcare or medical community

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The WINGS committee should have geographical representation.

I do want to make sure that the WINGS bill allow this committee to look at issues concerning conservatorships, although the bill should prioritize work on guardianships first. Erica Woods (ABA) and Diana Noel both say that all WINGS groups in other states look at both the guardianship and conservatorship systems.

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